

Nathaniel Reyes
1300 42nd St
San Francisco CA 94122

Aug 30th 2018

Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I'm a filmmaker that works from home. I NEED gigabit fiber internet and the right to choose which service I want to use and not be forced to go with a single carrier that dominates the market. Right now, I'm in San Francisco using Sonic. It has been a life changer. I can download and upload video files for backup to the cloud in significantly less time than I could with AT&T or Comcast. I can stream movies on multiple devices and play video games online reliably with no interruption. Before, with Comcast and with AT&T I could not do this. My speeds were never consistent and never ever reached the touted speed they should have been, why not, I was paying for them. It has given me the ability to spend more time with family and not worry about internet speed lag between devices and ridiculous time lengths that it used to take to upload finished products to clients. Sonic provides a reliable incredible value and they should be allowed to compete and not be hamstrung by a juggernaut of a company like AT&T or Comcast that are obese, greedy, and are enabled by special interests only concerned about revenue and market dominance. Thank you.

Nathaniel Reyes